

The embodiments of the invention in which an exclusive property or privilege is claimed are defined as follows:

1. A printed circuit board chassis device comprising:

a structural component; and

5 at least two circuit board securing devices coupled to the structural component,
the securing devices comprising:

a base section attached to the respective wall, the base section including a
groove formed by a first and second wall;

a securing member that is received by the base section;

10 a first component configured to move the securing element at a first end
longitudinally within the groove of the base section;

a second component configured to keep a second end of the securing
element within the groove of the base section; and

15 one or more force-producing devices for moving the securing element
closer to the first wall of the base section as the first component is
adjusted.

2. The device of Claim 1, wherein the first component comprises a screw received
through a slot in the base section and into a threaded cavity of the securing member.

3. The device of Claim 1, wherein the second component comprises a set screw
20 received through a threaded cavity of the base section and a slot of the securing member.

4. The device of Claim 1, wherein the securing member comprises one or more lateral
support devices.

5. The device of Claim 1, wherein the force-producing devices comprise a plurality of ramps located on the base section and the securing member.

6. The device of Claim 1, wherein the securing element is a monolithic element.

7. A circuit board securing device comprising:

5 a base section including a groove formed by a first and second wall;

a securing member that is received by the base section;

a first component configured to move the securing element longitudinally within the groove of the base section;

10 a second component configured to keep a second end of the securing element within the groove of the base section; and

one or more force-producing devices for moving the securing element closer to the first wall of the base section as the first component is adjusted.

8. The device of Claim 7, wherein the first component comprises a screw received through a slot in the base section and into a threaded cavity of the securing member.

15 9. The device of Claim 7, wherein the second component comprises a set screw received through a threaded cavity of the base section and a slot of the securing member.

10. The device of Claim 7, wherein the securing member comprises one or more lateral support devices.

20 11. The device of Claim 7, wherein the force-producing devices comprise a plurality of ramps located on the base section and the securing member.

12. The device of Claim 7, wherein the securing element is a monolithic element.